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05FEB22 – OTTAWA - End of Day Status Report:

· Ongoing speeches appear to be impromptu.
· Narrative is not aggressive or violent.
· Approx 4,200 demonstrators remain in the area.
· Counter protests continue.
· Crowd mood described as festive, no issues to report.
· OPS PLT advised that the wooden structure has been pushed under a bridge, completely blocking access to roadways.
· Organizers advised OPP PLT that they will ensure emergency routes will remain open, and there will be attempts to remove the wooden structure.
· Organizers have advised OPP PLT that they are seeking portable toilets.
· Organizers indicate that they are unhappy with how they are being portrayed in the media.
· Organizers describe that they are committed to keeping interactions with police positive.
· PPS observed fireworks being set off on Parliament Hill, which is a concern due to fuel canisters in the protest zone.

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